



Booker Middle School

2019-2020 Syllabus
Mr. Carpenter
Algebra 1 Honors
Room 821

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Supplies Required:

- 5-subject spiral notebook or 3 ring binder with paper and dividers
- Calculator (See left)
- Pencils

Optional Supplies

- 2-pocket folder
- Notebook paper
- Hi-lighter
- Red pen
- Expo Marker

Calculator

- TI 30XA



Office Hours:

Appointments can be made for after school sessions. I do require parent contact before meeting afterschool for assistance. The easiest way to contact me is through email, and I encourage every parent and student to please feel free to email me. You can also message me on the Remind App.

Classroom Expectations:

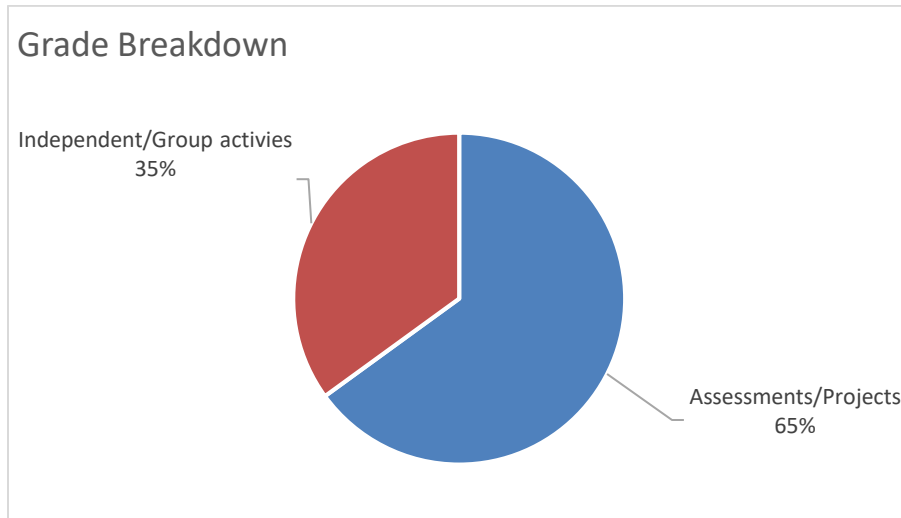
- Be Punctual
- Be Prepared
- Be Respectful
- Be Actively Engaged
- Communicate Appropriately

Classroom Design:

My classroom is designed to integrate technology at every step. Students will be using TI-Nspire handhelds to solve problems. Students are responsible for the technology that they will use in the classroom. Students will be working on computers on a daily basis. Students will learn to

appropriately use technology in a professional setting. Students are expected to complete homework assignments on a daily basis.

Grading Distribution:



90-100%	A
80-89%	B
70-79%	C
60-69%	D
0-59%	F

***Late work is accepted. Points will be deducted for being late. The sooner homework is turned in the less the deduction.

Description of Coursework:

- Assessments/Projects
 - 65% of the student’s grade is in this category. Examples of items in this category include but are not limited to:
 - Test
 - Quizzes
 - Individual Projects to show mastery of standards
 - Algebra Nation tests and quizzes
- Independent and group activities
 - 35% of the student’s grade comes from this category/ Examples of items in this category include but are not limited to:
 - Bell work
 - Homework
 - Group assignments completed in class
 - Algebra Nation lessons

Behavior Rewards:

- B5 Cards to get rewards in the B5 store
- Positive phone call home

- Other treats and rewards

Classroom Consequences:

- Warning
- Refocus
- Reteach behavior
- Phone call home
- SIR process
- Referral

Communications with teacher

- Text messages
 - I use a service called Remind. It is a free text message/email service that allows me to send a text message or email to parents and students. I will not see your number/email. You will only see the email and phone number that Remind uses. It does use a class code. These will be given to students. They are also on my website.
- Website carpenterstornado.weebly.com
 - This is another resource that I use. It is mobile friendly. On it, you will find a contact form. Please fill this out. It will allow me to have your contact information, your students' information, and let me know when you would like to be contacted. It also has important forms such as a syllabus, Remind sign up forms, and other instructional material. There is also a blog that will update daily with homework assignments and announcements.

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Sign and Return: Also go to my website (carpenterstornado.weebly.com) to fill out the parent information form. This allows me to have your information, the best ways to contact you, and the best times to contact you.

Student Name _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____